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SIR:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.133(b) and MPEP § 713.04, Applicants confirm that the substance of the interview conducted on February 22, 2011 is accurately reflected in the Interview Summary dated February 25, 2011. It should be mentioned that Applicants respectfully disagree with the Examiner's characterization that Higashi (U.S. Patent 6,617,051) describes that phosphorescent and fluorescent emitters may be used. Applicants respectfully submit that Higashi describes using fluorescent emitters but fails to describe using phosphorescent emitters (See e.g., column 22, lines 36-45).

Respectfully submitted,

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